



Temporary Access Changes to the House Office Buildings

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IMPORTANT NOTICE

TO: All Members of Congress and Staff

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SUBJECT: **Temporary Access Changes to the House Office Buildings**

On **Monday, March 23, 2020**, U.S. Capitol Police will reduce the number of entrances open to Members and staff in each House Office Building. These temporary closures will enable Capitol Police and Sergeant at Arms staff to maximize resources during this period. When the House returns to regular sessions, doors will reopen as usual.

The following vehicle barricades, garages and pedestrian entrances will be **open** starting on March 23:

Vehicular Barricades

- **New Jersey Avenue & Independence Avenue, SE** 24 hours
- **First Street & C Street, SE (C Street)** 5:00 AM – 11:00 PM
- **Washington Avenue & C Street, SW (C Street)** 5:00 AM – 7:00 PM
- **First Street, SW & Washington Avenue (First Street)** 7:30 AM – 3:00 PM
- **First Street & Independence Avenue, SW (Outbound Only)** 7:30 AM – 3:00 PM
- **Second Street, SW & Virginia Avenue** 5:00 AM – 9:00 PM

- **Third Street, SW & Virginia Avenue (*Outbound Only*)** 5:00 AM – 9:00 PM

Garages and Garage Lobbies

- **Rayburn HOB C Street Garage** 24 hours
- **Rayburn HOB First Street Garage** 7:30 AM – 3:00 PM
- **Rayburn HOB Lobby 1 (from garage)** 24 hours
- **Rayburn HOB Lobby 8 (from garage)** 24 hours
- **Rayburn HOB Lobby 3 (from garage)** 5:00 AM to 9:00 PM
- **Cannon HOB Garage** 5:00 AM – 9:00 PM
- **Cannon Northwest Garage Screening** 5:00 AM – 9:00 PM
- **Upper D Street/East House Underground Garage** 5:00 AM – 12:30 AM
- **Longworth/East HUG Screening** 5:00 AM – 9:00 PM
- **Ford House Office Building Garage** 5:00 AM – 9:00 PM
- **O'Neill House Office Building Garage** 5:00 AM – 9:00 PM

Pedestrian Access

- **Cannon HOB Northwest Door (ADA)** 7:30 AM – 11:00 PM
- **Cannon HOB C Street Temporary Door (ADA)** 7:30 AM – 11:00 PM
- **Longworth HOB South Capitol Street Door (ADA)** 24 hours
- **Rayburn HOB First Street Pedestrian Door** 7:30 AM – 7:00 PM
- **Rayburn HOB Horseshoe Door (ADA)** 7:30 AM – 11:00 PM
- **Ford HOB Second Street Door (ADA)** 24 hours
- **O'Neill HOB Second Street Door (ADA)** 24 hours

We request that **all official business visitors** to the Cannon, Longworth and Rayburn House Office Buildings, **enter via the Longworth South Capitol Street Door**. Offices who are expecting official business visitors are required to greet guests outside this entrance and be prepared to escort them to and from each meeting.

In addition, the Capitol will continue to be open only to Members, staff and official business visitors. Offices who are expecting official business visitors are required to greet their guests outside the South Door of the Capitol and be prepared to escort them to and from each meeting. The Capitol and CVC remains closed to all tours, including Member, staff-led and public tours.

Thank you for your continued assistance and cooperation. If you have further questions, please feel free to contact my office at 225-2456, or the U.S. Capitol Police, House Division Office at 225-0400.